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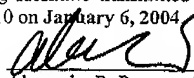
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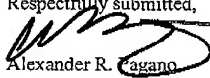
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In response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed December 18, 2003, please enter the amendments to the Specification and the Claims specified below, which now comply with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121.

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